

WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1. A method for recording/reading information data using a first recording medium and a second recording medium each having its own identification data, said method comprising the steps of:

reading first encrypted information data encrypted in accordance with an identification data of the first recording medium and recorded in said first recording medium;

encrypting the first encrypted information data in accordance with an identification data of the second recording medium, so as to produce second encrypted information data;

recording the second encrypted information data in the second recording medium;

reading the second encrypted information data from the second recording medium and decoding the second encrypted information data in accordance with the identification data of the second recording medium; and

restoring the second encrypted information data into the first encrypted information data and recording the information data in the first recording medium.

2. A method according to claim 1, wherein mutual confirmation is performed between the first recording medium and the second recording medium to confirm whether these recording mediums are formally registered, an encrypted information data is read

out from the first recording medium or the second recording medium if the mutual confirmation shows that the first and second recording mediums are formally registered.

3. A system for recording/reading information data, wherein first encrypted information data encrypted in accordance with an identification data of a first recording medium is read out from the first recording medium, the first encrypted information data is then recorded in a second recording medium, the system comprising:

reading means for reading first encrypted information data from the first recording medium;

encrypting means for encrypting the first encrypted information data in accordance with an identification data of the second recording medium so as to produce second encrypted information data; and

recording means for recording the second encrypted information data in the second recording medium.

4. A system according to claim 3, wherein the reading means comprises:

confirmation means for performing a mutual confirmation between the first recording medium and the second recording medium;

allowance issuing means for issuing an allowance for reading the first encrypted information data when the

confirmation means confirms that the first recording medium and the second recording medium are all formally registered.

5. A system for recording/reading information data, wherein second encrypted information data encrypted in accordance with identification data of a second recording medium is read out from the second recording medium, the second encrypted information data is then recorded in a first recording medium, the system comprising:

reading means for reading second encrypted information data from the second recording medium;

decoding means for decoding the second encrypted information data in accordance with identification data of the second recording means;

and recording means for restoring the second encrypted information data into the first encrypted information data so as to record the information data in the first recording medium.

6. A system according to claim 5, wherein the reading means comprises:

confirmation means for performing a mutual confirmation between the first recording medium and the second recording medium;

allowance issuing means for issuing an allowance for reading the second encrypted information data when the

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